

**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shigeki MIYASHITA

Group Art Unit: 3747

Application No.: 10/813,302

Examiner: K. HARRIS

Filed: March 31, 2004

Docket No.: 119315

For: TECHNIQUE OF DETECTING FAILURE OF  
COMPRESSION RATIO VARYING  
MECHANISM AND CONTROLLING  
INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

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**LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:


In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicant hereby requests continued examination.

☒ Applicant further requests entry and consideration of the attached Information Disclosure Statement.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 183922 in the amount of ☒ \$790.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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